

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Laura RAUS, et al.	)	Examiner: Larry E. WAGGLE, Jr.
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Serial No.: 10/551,721	)	Art Unit: 3775
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Filed: October 3, 2005	)	Our Ref: P268-US
	)	
For: "PNEUMATIC INSTRUMENT FOR TISSUE REMOVAL"	)	Date: September 9, 2010
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	)	Re: <b>Notification of Error in Payment of Fees as a Small Entity (37 C.F.R. §1.28(c))</b>

**NOTIFICATION OF ERROR IN PAYMENT OF FEES AS A SMALL ENTITY  
(37 C.F.R. §1.28(c))**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

This is to note that on October 3, 2005 and August 11, 2010, small entity fees were erroneously paid in this application. Enclosed herewith is a verified statement regarding entity status signed by the Applicant.

**Large Entity Fees due for US Application No: 10/551,721**

<b><u>Fees ERRONEOUSLY paid as Small Entity</u></b>	<b><u>Fee Actually PAID as Small Entity</u></b>	<b><u>DEFICIENCY OWED</u></b>
Basic Filing Fee paid on Oct. 3, 2005	\$150.00	\$180.00
Examination Fee paid on Oct. 3, 2005	\$100.00	\$120.00
Search Fee paid on Oct. 3, 2005	\$200.00	\$230.00
Total claims in excess of 20 fee paid on Oct. 3, 2005	\$150.00	\$162.00
Independent claims in excess of 3 fee paid on August 11, 2010	\$440.00	\$440.00
<b><u>Total Deficiency</u></b>		<b><u>\$1,132.00</u></b>

The total deficiency owed is \$1,132.00. Please charge these fees to US deposit account no:

50-4194. The Commissioner is however authorized to charge any additional fee which may be required or credit overpayment to deposit account no. 50-4194. Please ensure that the Attorney Docket Number is referred to when charging any payments or crediting any overpayments for this case

I hereby certify that this correspondence  
is being electronically filed on  
September 9, 2010 by Jason Varner.

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Respectfully submitted,

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